

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 270  
By Cooper

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Ashley Marie Pruitt, 2005  
Co-Valedictorian of Franklin County High  
School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Pruitt is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Valedictorian of the 2005 graduating class at Franklin County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ashley Pruitt has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Miss Pruitt has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Ashley Pruitt has been recognized for her perfect attendance from Kindergarten through twelfth grade, inclusion in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*, listing on the National Honor Roll, selection to the National Scholars' Program, and recognition as a Laws of Life Winner; and

WHEREAS, Miss Pruitt is a well-rounded student involved in many clubs and extra-curricular activities, including the National Honor Society, BETA Club, FCCLA, Student Council, the Franklin County Youth Leadership Alumni, and the Franklin County High School Basketball team and Softball team; and

WHEREAS, dedicated to making a difference in the lives of those treated unkindly by life, Ashley Pruitt has volunteered her many skills and talents to the Cancer Foundation and Second Harvest Food Bank; and

WHEREAS, her diligence and altruism helped her to receive a University Service scholarship to Tennessee Technological University, which she plans to attend in the fall; and

WHEREAS, Ashley Pruitt's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ashley's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her mother, Kim Pruitt, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Miss Pruitt's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2005 Franklin County High School Co-Valedictorian, Ashley Pruitt, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.